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TO AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM PRIORITY

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SUBJECT: REPEAL OF BYRD AMENDMENT

REF: STOCKHOLM 1622

1. TREASURY'S OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL HAS INFORMED THE DEPARTMENT THAT THE REPEAL LEGISLATION, AS TREASURY CURRENTLY INTERPRETS IT AND IS CURRENTLY IMPLEMENTING IT, DOES NOT PERMIT A GENERAL CERTIFICATION, AS SUGGESTED PARA 2 STOCKHOLM 1622, FOR CHROME -BEARING PRODUCTS FROM SWEDEN UNLESS SWEDEN IMPLEMENTS TREASURY'S PROPOSED STRICT CERTIFICATION PROCEDURES FOR ALL CHROME-BEARING MATERIALS ENTERING SWEDEN.

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2. ON MARCH 17, TREASURY PROVIDED SWEDISH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON WITH SUBSTANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO TREASURY'S REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO SANCTIONS AGAINST RHODESIAN PRODUCTS. TREASURY HAS ALSO SENT EMBASSY COPY OF DRAFT PROCEDURES FOR INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION PROGRAM FOR COUNTRIES WISHING TO EXPORT TO U.S. PRODUCTS CONTAINING CHROME OF NON-RHODESIAN ORIGIN. THOSE DRAFT PROCEDURES,

ALSO PROVIDED TO OTHER EMBASSIES IN WASHINGTON, ARE
INTENDED AS BASIS FOR DISCUSSIONS LEADING TO INTERGOVERN-
MENTAL BILATERAL AGREEMENTS.

3. TREASURY IS WILLING TO DISCUSS THE PROPOSED PRO-
CEDURES WITH SWEDISH OFFICIALS AT THEIR CONVENIENCE.
FYI: UNTIL USG AND GOS AGREE ON CERTIFICATION PROCEDURES,
MOST EXPORTS OF SWEDISH SPECIALTY STEEL WILL BE DENIED
ENTRY OR HELD UNDER BOND AT PORT OF ENTRY.
SEVERAL OTHER COUNTRIES HAVE MADE APPROACHES SIMILAR
TO SWEDEN'S, AND WE ARE LOOKING INTO THE PROBLEMS RAISED.
ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS WILL BE COMMUNICATED TO YOU ASAP.
END FYI.

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